



# THE CHINA MAIL.

## Entertainments.

HONGKONG SMOKING CONCERT CLUB.

### NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

THE Last CONCERT of the Season will take place on FRIDAY, 7th April, in the THEATRE ROYAL, at 9.15 p.m. Membership Tickets must be shown at the door, and Members are requested to do everything in their power to facilitate matters at the door—*Tickets at once and no hushing in doing so.* As a large attendance is anticipated Members wishing Visitors' Tickets should apply personally to any of the Committees for them early in the week. The Rules and Visiting Committee are strictly enforced.

JAMES A. LOWSON,  
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, March 20, 1893.

Under the Distinguished Patronage of His Excellency Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON, K.C.M.G.; His Excellency The Hon. Sir EDMUND B. FREMANTLE, K.C.B., C.M.G.; and His Excellency Major-General DIGBY BARKER, C.B.

## GRAND CONCERT,

BY PUPILS OF MAESTRO GATTANISO, *In Aid of the Furnishing of THE NETHERSCHOOL HOSPITAL (SUPPLEMENTARY TO THE ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL),* at present in course of erection.

## ST. ANDREW'S HALL.

POSTPONED UNTIL THURSDAY, the 13th April.

### PROGRAMME.

Part I.  
1.—Opening Chorus, Sing Pretty Maiden, Sing! Romanza and Chorus. It was a Knight; Romanza, The Harp in the Air; Angelus Chorus—Maritania by Wallace;—  
2.—Aria, for Bass, Dusperas am Vida—Les Huguenots, by Meyerbeer;—  
3.—Aria for Contralto, Che faro—Orfeo and Euridice, by Gluck;—  
4.—Pianoforte, Miss Carolina de Souza  
5.—Grand Arioso—Ballata for Soprano—La Traviata, by Verdi;—  
6.—Romanza for Baritone, Un Ballo in Maschera, by Verdi;—  
7.—Aria and Allegro for Soprano, I Puritani, by Bellini;—  
8.—Ave Maria, for Bass, and Chorus and Gentlemen Amateurs

Part II.  
1.—Aria for Soprano, Miss E. Carello, and Miserere for Soprano, Peter and Chorus—Il Trovatore, by Verdi;—  
2.—Aria for Soprano, Roberto il Diavolo, by Meyerbeer;—  
3.—Aria for Tenor, Come Gentle Sleep, by Sullivan;—  
4.—Waltz, From the Pacific to the Atlantic, for Violin and Piano, by A. Calzadella;—  
5.—Habanera and Ballero, for Soprano, by Mrs. F. D. Guedes;—  
6.—Aria for Tenor, Salve o Dimora, Fair, by Gounod;—  
7.—Grand Arioso for Bass, Macbeth Scene, by Rossini;—  
8.—Duet for Soprano Mrs. G. S. Coxon and Contralto, Stabat Mater, by Rossini;—  
[No Encore.]

Tickets, Two Dollars each, may be had from Mr. BREWER'S, KELLY & WALSH, Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., and MRS. ROBINSON, ROBINSON & CO., Hongkong, April 1, 1893.

## Intimations.

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Hongkong, October 1, 1892.

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Hongkong, April 5, 1893.

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The right to accept or reject any or all of the Tenders is reserved.

G. K. M. OBE

CAPTAIN, A.P.D.

District Paymaster, China.

HER MAJESTY'S TREASURY OFFICE,

Quon's Road,

Hongkong, April 5, 1893.

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## Mails.

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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.  
Peru.....SATURDAY, April 8.  
City of Rio de Janeiro.....THURSDAY, April 27.  
City of Peking, &c.....THURSDAY, May 18.  
Honolulu.....

THE U. S. Mail Steamship *PERU* will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, and YOKOHAMA, on SATURDAY, the 8th April, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at Honolulu, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point on route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

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Particulars of the various routes can be obtained on application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-ports to Nanking, and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Hawaii, Texas, and Densas, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

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For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, March 22, 1893. 540

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VIA  
THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,  
AND  
ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING  
STEAMERS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.  
Oceanic, &c. Honolulu, TUESDAY, April 18.  
Grecia, &c. Honolulu, TUESDAY, May 9.  
Belice, &c. Honolulu, THURSDAY, June 8.

THE Steamship *OCEANIC* will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on TUESDAY, the 18th April, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at Honolulu, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point on route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

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Hongkong, March 20, 1893. 601

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Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
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any Debt contracted by the Officers or  
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## Mails.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP  
AND RAILROAD COMPANY.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1893.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

Tacoma.....TUESDAY, May 2.

THE Steamship *TACOMA*, Captain J. H. Hall, sailing at noon, TUESDAY, the 2nd May, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, and SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA.

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